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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 5, 2003, the time to reply having been
extended by petition, please consider the following:

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2
of this document.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this document.